REFERENCE TITLE: game and fish omnibus

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HB 2251

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AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 15-714, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; REPEALING SECTION 17-245, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; AMENDING TITLE 17, CHAPTER 2, ARTICLE 3, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY ADDING A NEW SECTION 17-245; AMENDING SECTIONS 17-332, 17-333, 17-333.01, 17-333.03, 17-335.01 AND 17-362, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO GAME AND FISH.

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Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona: Section 1. Section 15-714, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

15-714. Eligibility for training in use of bows or firearms

- A. Training courses may be offered on a voluntary basis to all persons who have reached the age of ten years, but the game and fish commission may require any hunter whose hunting license has been revoked or suspended to show a certificate of completion of such training course as a condition to issuance or renewal of a license PURSUANT TO SECTION 17-245.
- B. The courses held for students in the common schools and high schools shall be elective only, and attendance in such classes shall not be considered in computing a school district's student count.

Sec. 2. Repeal

Section 17-245, Arizona Revised Statutes, is repealed.

Sec. 3. Title 17, chapter 2, article 3, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended by adding a new section 17-245, to read:

17-245. <u>Training courses</u>

THE COMMISSION MAY:

- 1. OFFER TRAINING COURSES ON A VOLUNTARY BASIS TO ALL PERSONS AS PRESCRIBED BY RULE.
- 2. REQUIRE ANY PERSON WHOSE HUNTING, FISHING OR GUIDE LICENSE HAS BEEN REVOKED OR SUSPENDED TO SHOW A CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION OF A TRAINING COURSE AS A CONDITION TO ISSUANCE OR RENEWAL OF A HUNTING, FISHING OR GUIDE LICENSE.
 - Sec. 4. Section 17-332, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read: 17-332. Form and contents of license: duplicate licenses: period of validity
- A. Licenses and license materials shall be prepared by the department and furnished and charged to dealers authorized to issue licenses. The license shall be issued in the name of the department and countersigned by an issuing dealer. Except as provided by rule adopted by the commission, each license shall be signed by the licensee in ink on the face of the license and any license not signed is invalid. With each license authorizing the taking of big game the department shall provide such tags as the commission may prescribe, which the licensee shall attach to the big game animal in such manner as prescribed by the commission. The commission shall limit the number of big game permits issued to nonresidents in a random drawing to ten per cent or fewer of the total hunt permits, but in extraordinary circumstances, at a public meeting the commission may increase the number of permits issued to nonresidents in a random drawing if, on separate roll call votes, the members of the commission unanimously:
- 1. Support the finding of a specifically described extraordinary circumstance.
 - 2. Adopt the increased number of nonresident permits for the hunt.

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- B. The commission shall issue with each license a shipping permit entitling the holder of the license to a shipment of game or fish as provided by article 4 of this chapter.
- C. It is unlawful, except as provided by the commission, for any person to apply for or obtain in any one license year more than one original license permitting the taking of big game. A duplicate license or tag may be issued by the department or by a license dealer if the person requesting such license or tag furnishes the information deemed necessary by the commission. A fee of four dollars shall be collected for each duplicate license or tag issued.
- D. No license or permit is transferable, nor shall such license or permit be used by anyone except the person to whom such license or permit was issued. except that:
- 1. A person may transfer the person's big game permit or tag to a qualified organization for use by a minor child who has a life threatening medical condition or by a minor child who has a permanent physical disability. The commission may prescribe the manner and conditions of transferring and using permits and tags under this paragraph. If a physically disabled child is under the age of fourteen YEARS OF AGE, the child must satisfactorily complete the Arizona hunter education course or another comparable hunter education course that is approved by the director. For the purposes of this paragraph:
- (a) "Disability" means a permanent physical impairment that substantially limits one or more of the child's major life activities requiring the assistance of another person or $\bf A$ mechanical device for physical mobility.
- (b) "Qualified organization" means a nonprofit organization that is qualified under section 501(c)(3) of the United States internal revenue code and that affords opportunities and experiences to children with life threatening medical conditions or with physical disabilities.
- 2. A parent, grandparent or legal guardian may allow the parent's, grandparent's or guardian's minor child or minor grandchild to use the parent's, grandparent's or guardian's big game permit or tag to take big game pursuant to the following requirements:
- (a) The parent, grandparent or guardian must transfer the permit or tag to the child in a manner prescribed by the commission.
- (b) The parent or guardian must accompany the child in the field or, if a grandparent allows a minor grandchild to use the grandparent's permit or tag, the grandparent, THE parent or the child's guardian must accompany the child in the field. In either case, the adult must be within fifty yards of the child when the animal is taken.
- (c) The child must possess a class F, $\frac{or}{or}$ class G, CLASS K, CLASS M OR CLASS N license and, if under $\frac{the}{the}$ age of fourteen YEARS OF AGE, must satisfactorily complete the Arizona hunter education course or another comparable hunter education course that is approved by the director.

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- (d) Any big game that is taken counts toward the child's bag limit.
- E. No refunds may be made for the purchase of a license or permit.
- F. Licenses are valid for a license year and expire on December 31 except for special licenses issued by the commission, pioneer complimentary licenses AS PROVIDED BY SECTION 17-336, resident and nonresident trapping licenses, sport falconry licenses and classes B, C and D licenses as provided in section 17-333 and lifetime class A, F and G licenses and lifetime trout stamps as provided in section 17-335.01. Trapping licenses are valid from July 1 through June 30 of the following year. Lifetime licenses and lifetime trout stamps are valid for the lifetime of the licensee.
 - Sec. 5. Section 17-333, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read: 17-333. <u>Licenses; classes; fees</u>
- A. Licenses shall be divided into classes and maximum fees to be paid for such licenses are as follows:
- 1. Class A, general fishing license, valid for the taking of all aquatic wildlife, except trout statewide, and aquatic wildlife from commission designated urban waters, resident, twenty-five dollars; nonresident, eighty-five dollars, except that the maximum fee for a class A license issued in November or December is one-half of the fee otherwise prescribed by this paragraph.
- 2. Trout stamp, validates general and lifetime class A licenses for the taking of trout, resident, fifteen dollars; nonresident, sixty dollars. The stamp is valid for a license year and expires on December 31, whether it validates a general or lifetime license.
- 3. Class B, nonresident general four month fishing license, valid for the taking of all aquatic wildlife, except from commission designated urban waters, thirty-eight dollars.
- 4. Class C, nonresident general five-day fishing license, valid for the taking of all aquatic wildlife, except from commission designated urban waters, thirty-four dollars and nine dollars for each additional day.
- 5. Class D, one-day fishing license, valid for the taking of all aquatic wildlife, resident, sixteen dollars and eight dollars for each additional day; nonresident, eighteen dollars and nine dollars for each additional day.
- 6. Resident youth group two-day fishing license, valid for taking all aquatic wildlife, except on the Colorado river, issued to a nonprofit organization which sponsors adult supervised activities for groups of juveniles fourteen years of age through seventeen years of age, not to exceed twenty juveniles for any one group license, twenty-five dollars.
- 7. Class E, Colorado river fishing license, valid for the taking of all aquatic wildlife, nonresident, fifty-five dollars.
- 8. Class F, combination general hunting and fishing license, valid for the taking of all aquatic wildlife, except from commission designated urban waters, small game, fur-bearing animals, predatory animals, nongame animals, nongame birds, AND upland game birds and migratory game birds, except ducks,

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geese and swans, resident, sixty dollars; nonresident, two hundred seventy dollars.

- 9. Urban fishing license, valid for taking all aquatic wildlife from commission designated urban waters, residents and nonresidents, twenty-one dollars. The privileges granted by a pioneer COMPLIMENTARY license shall include the right to fish in all commission designated urban waters.
- 10. Class G, general hunting license, valid for the taking of small game, fur-bearing animals, predatory animals, nongame animals, nongame birds, AND upland game birds and migratory game birds, except ducks, geese and swans, resident, thirty-five dollars; nonresident, one hundred eighty-five dollars.
- 11. Class H, three-day hunting license, valid for the taking of small game, fur-bearing animals, predatory animals, nongame animals, nongame birds, AND upland game birds and migratory game birds, except ducks, geese and swans, nonresident, sixty-seven dollars.
- 12. Class I, resident family fishing licenses, valid for taking all aquatic wildlife, except aquatic wildlife from commission designated urban waters, issued to members of an immediate family residing in the same household. THE COMMISSION SHALL PRESCRIBE BY RULE THE AGE AND ELIGIBILITY OF THE FAMILY LICENSE HOLDER. The fees for persons who are licensed pursuant to this paragraph are:
- (a) For one adult licensed under this paragraph, the current fee for a class A general fishing license and trout stamp, including any surcharge pursuant to section 17-345.
- (b) For any additional adult licensed under this paragraph in the immediate family, eighty per cent of the current fee for a class A general fishing license and trout stamp, including any surcharge pursuant to section 17-345.
- (c) Two dollars for any child licensed under this paragraph in the immediate family.
- 13. Class J, resident family hunting license, valid for taking small game, fur-bearing animals, predatory animals, nongame animals, nongame birds,—AND upland game birds and migratory game birds, except ducks, geese and swans, issued to members of an immediate family residing in the same household. THE COMMISSION SHALL PRESCRIBE BY RULE THE AGE AND ELIGIBILITY OF THE FAMILY LICENSE HOLDER. The fees for persons who are licensed pursuant to this paragraph are:
- (a) For one adult licensed under this paragraph, the current fee for a class G general hunting license, including any surcharge pursuant to section 17-345.
- (b) For any additional adult licensed under this paragraph in the immediate family, eighty per cent of the current fee for a class G general hunting license, including any surcharge pursuant to section 17-345.
- (c) Fifteen dollars for any child licensed under this paragraph in the immediate family.

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- 14. Class K, combination resident family hunting and fishing license, valid for taking all aquatic wildlife, except from commission designated urban waters, small game, fur-bearing animals, predatory animals, nongame animals, nongame birds, AND upland game birds and migratory game birds, except ducks, geese and swans, issued to members of an immediate family residing in the same household. THE COMMISSION SHALL PRESCRIBE BY RULE THE AGE AND ELIGIBILITY OF THE FAMILY LICENSE HOLDER. The fees for persons who are licensed pursuant to this paragraph are:
- (a) For one adult licensed under this paragraph, the current fee for a class F combination general hunting and fishing license, including any surcharge pursuant to section 17-345.
- (b) For any additional adult licensed under this paragraph in the immediate family, eighty per cent of the current fee for a class F combination general hunting and fishing license, including any surcharge pursuant to section 17-345.
- (c) Twenty dollars for any child licensed under this paragraph in the immediate family.
- 15. Class L, super conservation fishing license, valid for taking all aquatic wildlife, including trout and aquatic wildlife from commission designated urban waters, AND INCLUDING STAMPS PRESCRIBED BY THE COMMISSION, resident, fifty dollars; nonresident, sixty dollars.
- 16. Class M, super conservation hunting license, valid for taking small game, fur-bearing animals, predatory animals, nongame animals, nongame birds, AND upland game birds and migratory game birds, except ducks, geese and swans, and including tags and stamps prescribed by the commission, resident, one hundred fifteen dollars.
- 17. Class N, combination super conservation hunting and fishing license, valid for taking all aquatic wildlife, including trout and aquatic wildlife from commission designated urban waters, small game, fur-bearing animals, predatory animals, nongame animals, nongame birds, AND upland game birds and migratory game birds, except ducks, geese and swans, and including tags and stamps prescribed by the commission, resident, one hundred sixty dollars.
- 18. APPRENTICE HUNTING LICENSE, VALID FOR TWO DAYS WHEN THE APPRENTICE IS ACCOMPANIED IN THE FIELD BY A MENTOR. AN APPRENTICE HUNTING LICENSE IS VALID FOR THE TAKING OF SMALL GAME, FUR-BEARING ANIMALS, PREDATORY ANIMALS, NONGAME ANIMALS, NONGAME BIRDS AND UPLAND GAME BIRDS, AND INCLUDING STAMPS PRESCRIBED BY THE COMMISSION. AN APPRENTICE MAY BE A RESIDENT OR NONRESIDENT AND MAY ONLY BE LICENSED PURSUANT TO THIS PARAGRAPH ONCE PER CALENDAR YEAR. A MENTOR MUST BE A BONA-FIDE RESIDENT OF THIS STATE WHO IS AT LEAST EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE AND MUST POSSESS A CLASS F, G, J, K, M OR N LICENSE OR A COMPLIMENTARY OR LIFETIME LICENSE. A MENTOR MAY APPLY FOR NO MORE THAN TWO APPRENTICE HUNTING LICENSES PER CALENDAR YEAR.

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18. 19. Javelina tag, validates class F, G, J, K, M or N license OR COMPLIMENTARY OR LIFETIME LICENSE for taking javelina, resident, thirty dollars; nonresident, one hundred twenty-five dollars.
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- $\frac{19.}{10.}$ 20. Turkey tag, validates class F, G, J, K, M or N license OR COMPLIMENTARY OR LIFETIME LICENSE for taking turkey, resident, twenty-five dollars; nonresident, ninety dollars.
- $\frac{20.}{1.0}$ 21. Bear tag, validates class F, G, J, K, M or N license OR COMPLIMENTARY OR LIFETIME LICENSE for the taking of bear, resident, thirty dollars; nonresident, two hundred seventy-five dollars.
- 21. 22. Mountain lion tag, validates class F, G, J, K, M or N license OR COMPLIMENTARY OR LIFETIME LICENSE for the taking of mountain lion, resident, nineteen dollars; nonresident, two hundred fifty dollars.
- 22. 23. Deer tag class A, validates class F, G, J, K, M or N license OR COMPLIMENTARY OR LIFETIME LICENSE for the taking of deer, resident, one hundred fifty dollars; nonresident, one thousand two hundred dollars. Deer tag class B, validates class F, G, J, K, M or N LICENSE OR COMPLIMENTARY OR LIFETIME LICENSE, for the taking of deer, resident, fifty dollars; nonresident, three hundred twenty-five dollars. Not more than five per cent of the total deer tags issued in any calendar year shall be class A tags.
- $\frac{23.}{24.}$ 24. PRONGHORN (antelope) tag, validates class F, G, J, K, M or N license OR COMPLIMENTARY OR LIFETIME LICENSE for the taking of PRONGHORN (antelope), resident, ninety dollars; nonresident, six hundred thirty dollars.
- 24. 25. Elk tag class A, validates class F, G, J, K, M or N license OR COMPLIMENTARY OR LIFETIME LICENSE for the taking of elk, resident, three hundred fifty dollars; nonresident, three thousand two hundred dollars. Elk tag class B, validates class F, G, J, K, M or N LICENSE OR COMPLIMENTARY OR LIFETIME LICENSE for the taking of elk, resident, one hundred fifty dollars; nonresident, seven hundred seventy-five dollars. Not more than five per cent of the total elk tags issued in any calendar year shall be class A tags.
- $\frac{25.}{0R}$ 26. Bighorn sheep tag, validates class F, G, J, K, M or N license OR COMPLIMENTARY OR LIFETIME LICENSE for the taking of bighorn sheep, resident, three hundred thirty-five dollars; nonresident, three thousand dollars.
 - 26. 27. Private game farm license, seventy-five dollars.
 - 27. 28. Minnow dealer's license, forty dollars.
 - 28. 29. Guide license, five hundred dollars.
 - 29. 30. Taxidermist license, two hundred fifty dollars.
 - 30. 31. Wildlife hobby license, five dollars.
- 31. 32. Zoo license, one hundred thirty dollars.
 - 32. 33. Shooting preserve license, one hundred thirty dollars.
 - 33. 34. Field trial license, seven dollars.
 - 34. 35. Trapping license, resident, fifty dollars; nonresident, five hundred dollars; resident juvenile trapping license, fourteen years of age through seventeen years of age, thirty dollars.

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35. 36. Fur dealer's license, one hundred thirty dollars.
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36. 37. Permit application fee, ten dollars.

37. 38. State waterfowl stamp, validates class F, G, H, J, K, \bot , M or N license OR APPRENTICE, COMPLIMENTARY OR LIFETIME LICENSE for taking ducks, geese and swans, ten dollars.

 $\frac{38.}{39.}$ State migratory bird stamp, validates class F, G, $\frac{or}{Or}$ H, J, K, M OR N license or APPRENTICE, complimentary or lifetime license for taking migratory GAME birds $\frac{or}{Or}$ grouse, six dollars.

39. 40. White amur (ctenopharyngodon idellus) stocking license, three hundred dollars.

40. 41. License dealer's license, a minimum of twenty-five dollars and a maximum of one hundred twenty-five dollars provided, however, that the maximum of one hundred twenty-five dollars may be exceeded by a dealer with multiple business establishments who shall pay an additional fee of twenty-five dollars for each establishment at which licenses will be sold.

41. 42. Resident lifetime classes A, F and G licenses and resident lifetime trout stamp as provided by section 17-335.01.

42. 43. Two-pole stamp, validates general or lifetime class A, B, C, D, E, or F, L OR N license, pioneer COMPLIMENTARY or urban fishing license or class I fishing OR K license issued to an individual member of an immediate family for simultaneous fishing with two lines, resident, eight dollars; nonresident, twenty-four dollars. The stamp is valid for a license year and expires on December 31 regardless of whether it validates a general, COMPLIMENTARY or lifetime license.

43. 44. Sport falconry license, valid for possessing and transporting raptors as prescribed by the commission and validates class F, G, general hunting J, K, M OR N license OR COMPLIMENTARY OR LIFETIME LICENSE for hunting or taking quarry with a trained raptor, one hundred dollars. The license is valid from the date it is issued by the department until the third December from the date of issue.

B. The commission shall set fees for classes of licenses designated in subsection A of this section for firearms, bow and arrow and all other authorized devices within the maximum limit authorized. The commission may establish subclassifications within a class of license, permit or tag and set a fee for each subclassification within the maximum authorized limit. The commission may reduce license fees any amount deemed necessary. If it becomes necessary to limit or further regulate the taking of any species of wildlife, the commission may order issuance of an additional license or permit and fix fees for such license or permit.

C. For the purposes of this section, "immediate family" means one adult, or two adults who are married to each other, and their minor children, if any, who will be at least fourteen years of age during the license year, including adoptive children, stepchildren, foster children and other children for whom they are legal guardians.

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Sec. 6. Section 17-333.01, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

17-333.01. State waterfowl stamp

- A. It is unlawful for a person sixteen years of age or older to take or possess a duck, goose or swan in the field unless the person has in his possession a current valid state waterfowl stamp. EXCEPT AS PROVIDED BY RULE ADOPTED BY THE COMMISSION, a stamp is validated by the licensee's signature written in ink across its face. The commission shall issue state waterfowl stamps annually, expiring from and after June 30 AND PRESCRIBE THE VALID DATE.
- B. The commission shall prescribe the form of the waterfowl stamps and furnish them to dealers to issue in the same manner as other stamps, tags and licenses and for the fee prescribed pursuant to section 17-333.
- C. The commission may contract for the design and production of waterfowl stamps and artwork with any person or entity on terms which, in its judgment, will produce an original and valuable work of art. The production and reproduction of the original work of art are exempt from the requirements of title 41, chapter 23. The commission shall own and control all property rights and reproduction rights in works of art acquired under this section. The commission may sell or distribute the artwork and surplus stamps on such terms and for such price as it deems acceptable.
- Sec. 7. Section 17-333.03, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

17-333.03. State migratory bird stamp

- A. The commission shall:
- 1. Issue state migratory bird stamps annually, expiring from and after June 30 of each year AND PRESCRIBE THE VALID DATE.
- 2. Prescribe the form of the migratory bird stamp and furnish the stamps to dealers to sell in the same manner as other stamps, tags and licenses for the fee prescribed pursuant to section 17-333.
- B. EXCEPT AS PROVIDED BY RULE ADOPTED BY THE COMMISSION, a stamp is validated by the licensee's signature written in ink across the stamp's face.
- C. Beginning on July 1, 2000, It is unlawful for a person sixteen years of age or older to take or possess a migratory GAME bird in the field, other than ducks, geese or swans, unless the person possesses a current valid state migratory bird stamp.
- Sec. 8. Section 17-335.01, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

17-335.01. <u>Lifetime hunting and fishing licenses and trout</u> stamps; fees

- A. The department shall issue lifetime hunting and fishing licenses and trout stamps as provided by this section.
 - B. The classes of lifetime licenses are as follows:

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- 1. Resident lifetime class A, general fishing license, valid for taking all aquatic wildlife, except trout and aquatic wildlife from commission designated urban waters.
- 2. Resident lifetime class G, general hunting license, valid for taking small game, fur-bearing animals, predatory animals, nongame animals, nongame birds, AND upland game birds and migratory game birds except ducks, geese and swans.
- 3. Resident lifetime class F, combination general hunting and fishing license, valid for taking all aquatic wildlife except from commission designated urban waters, small game, fur-bearing animals, predatory animals, nongame animals, nongame birds, AND upland game birds and migratory game birds, except ducks, geese and swans.
- 4. Resident lifetime trout stamp to validate a lifetime class A general fishing license for taking trout.
- C. The fee for a lifetime license or trout stamp under subsection B of this section is determined according to the age of the applicant as follows:

Computation of fee <u>Age</u> 0 through 13 years seventeen times the maximum fee prescribed by prescribed by section 17-333 for the equivalent annual license 14 through 29 years eighteen times the maximum fee prescribed by section 17-333 for the equivalent annual license 30 through 44 years sixteen times the maximum fee prescribed by section 17-333 for the equivalent annual license 45 through 61 years fifteen times the maximum fee prescribed by section 17-333 for the equivalent annual license 62 and older eight times the maximum fee prescribed by section 17-333 for the equivalent annual license

- D. An additional class of lifetime license is resident lifetime wildlife benefactor class F, combination general hunting and fishing license, valid for taking all aquatic wildlife except from commission designated urban waters, small game, fur-bearing animals, predatory animals, nongame animals, nongame birds, AND upland game birds and migratory game birds, except ducks, geese and swans. The fee for a resident lifetime wildlife benefactor class F, combination general hunting and fishing license is one thousand dollars. The difference between one thousand dollars and the fee the licensee would otherwise pay for a resident lifetime class F license under subsections B and C of this section:
- 1. Is considered a donation to this state for continued management, protection and conservation of this state's wildlife.
- 2. Shall be credited to the wildlife endowment fund established by section 17-271.
- 3. Is tax deductible to the extent allowed by federal and state income tax statutes for contributions to qualifying tax-exempt organizations.

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- E. Lifetime licenses and trout stamps may be issued only at offices of the department. An applicant for a lifetime license or trout stamp shall provide proof of age and residency as prescribed by the commission.
- F. Lifetime licenses and trout stamps may be denied or suspended pursuant to, and for the offenses described in, section 17-340.
- G. Lifetime licenses and trout stamps remain valid if the licensee subsequently resides outside this state, but the licensee must pay the nonresident fee to purchase any additional stamps, permits and tags required to hunt and fish in this state. Limits set by the commission on issuing nonresident stamps, permits or tags do not apply to stamps, permits or tags sold to a lifetime licensee.
- H. Except as provided by subsection D, paragraph 2 of this section, monies derived from selling lifetime licenses and trout stamps shall be distributed as follows:
- 1. An amount equal to the fee for an equivalent annual license or stamp shall be deposited in the game and fish fund established by section 17-261 for the year in which the lifetime license or trout stamp was sold.
- 2. An amount equivalent to two times the maximum fee prescribed by section 17-333 for the equivalent annual license shall be deposited in the conservation development fund established by section 17-282 for the year in which the lifetime license or trout stamp was sold.
- 3. The remaining monies shall be deposited in the wildlife endowment fund.
 - Sec. 9. Section 17-362, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read: 17-362. <u>Guide license: violations: annual report: carrying firearms</u>
- A. No person shall act as a guide without first satisfying the director of his THE PERSON'S qualifications and without having procured a GUIDE license therefor. No person under the age of eighteen years OF AGE shall be issued a guide license.
- B. If a licensed guide fails to comply with the provisions of this title or is convicted of violating any provision of this title, his license may, after public hearing, be revoked by the commission and he shall be liable to punishment as for a violation of this title IN ADDITION TO ANY OTHER PENALTY PRESCRIBED BY THIS TITLE:
- 1. FOR A FIRST OFFENSE, THE COMMISSION, AFTER A PUBLIC HEARING, MAY REVOKE OR SUSPEND THE GUIDE LICENSE AND DENY THE PERSON THE RIGHT TO SECURE ANOTHER LICENSE FOR A PERIOD OF UP TO FIVE YEARS.
- 2. FOR A SECOND OFFENSE, THE COMMISSION, AFTER A PUBLIC HEARING, MAY REVOKE OR SUSPEND THE GUIDE LICENSE AND DENY THE PERSON THE RIGHT TO SECURE ANOTHER LICENSE FOR A PERIOD OF UP TO TEN YEARS.
- 3. FOR A THIRD OFFENSE, THE COMMISSION, AFTER A PUBLIC HEARING, MAY REVOKE OR SUSPEND THE GUIDE LICENSE AND PERMANENTLY DENY THE PERSON THE RIGHT TO SECURE ANOTHER LICENSE.

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B. C. By January 10 OF EACH YEAR, or at the request of the commission, guides shall report to the department, on forms provided therefor BY THE DEPARTMENT, the name and address of each person guided, the number of days he has been so employed and the number and species of game animals taken. No guide license shall be issued to any person who has failed to deliver the report to the department for his THE preceding license year, or until meeting such requirements as the commission may prescribe. C. D. No person acting as guide shall carry firearms other than a

revolver or pistol.

Sec. 10. Effective date

11 This act is effective from and after December 31, 2008.

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